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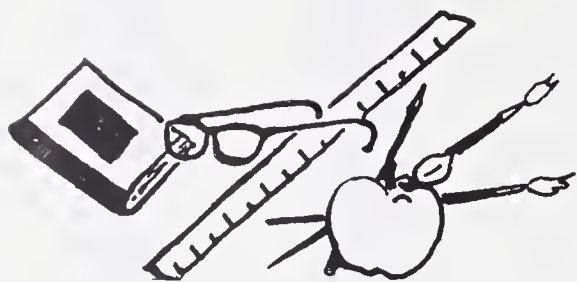
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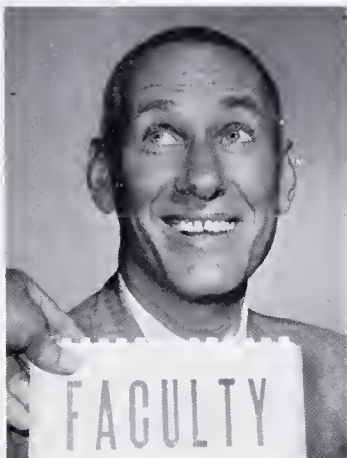


Advertisements

Dedication

Because he has worked for us and with us, because he has given generously of his time and wisdom--words cannot express our sincere admiration for this man. We respect this teacher and look to him for advice. He is never too busy to stop and talk with us. He always has a smile or funny remark to make. He voluntarily gives hours of his time to the Junior-Senior Prom.

Because he has given so much to us, we, the Senior Class, unanimously dedicate the 1968 Pioneer to Mr. Otto M. Gross.



Smile, Mr. Gross! You're on candid camera!



Mr. Gross spends many hard hours at the concession stand to raise money for the Junior-Senior Prom.

A cigarette and a Coke are typical of Mr. Gross.

Administration



COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT
Mr. James E. Johnson



GUIDANCE COUNSELOR - Mr. Howard C. Haynie

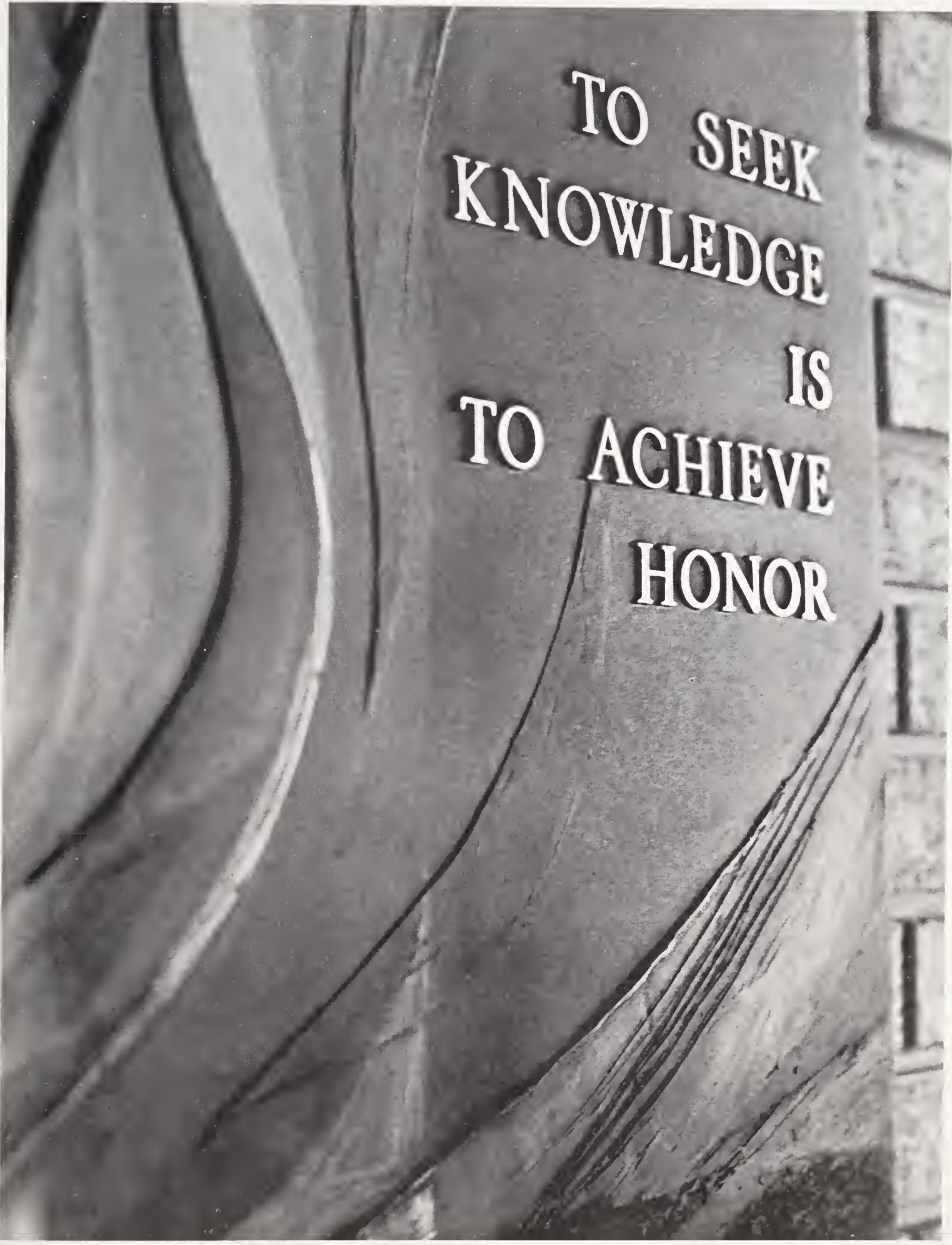
LUNCHROOM WORKERS



L-R: Margret Pack, May Miller, Katherine Childers, Lucille Mode, Belle Dicks, Tula Crouch, Jeannette Beam, Florence Maclauren, Eunice Fender.



A. V. SUPERVISOR
Mr. Gayden Swann



TO SEEK
KNOWLEDGE
IS
TO ACHIEVE
HONOR

FACULTY



"Loafer's Glory"



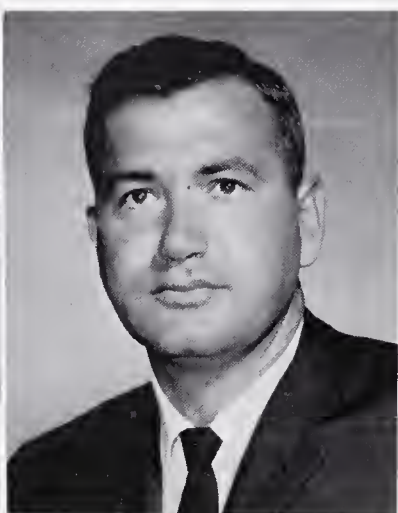
MARY JOYCE HOLLAND
Librarian



DONALD COLLINS
Science - Mathematics



ALMA MCGIMSEY
Home Economics



MAX ROBINSON
Trade and Industrial
Education

High School



JACK KIRSTEIN
Science



MERRILL McENTIRE
Art



Lunch with the teachers.



LEATHA P. KELLEY
English - French



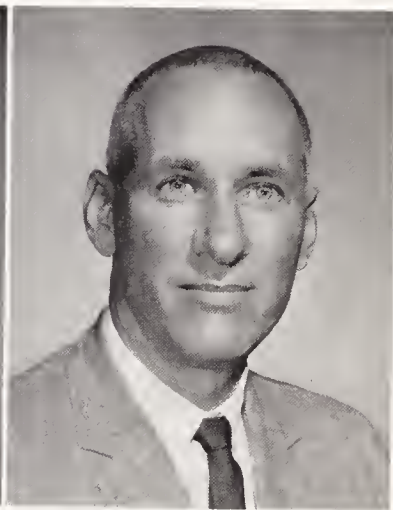
RICHARD LANEY
Social Studies
Physical Education



Faculty



CHARLOTTE HARTLEY
Commercial



OTTO M. GROSS
Social Studies



See! The noise in the hall isn't always the students.



IRMA KISTLER
English



HOMER DAVIS
Mathematics

Elementary Faculty



MRS. M. SIMMONS
Grade 1



MRS. G. STEPPE
Grade 2



MRS. E. STRONACH
Grade 2



MRS. O. SWIFT
Grade 2



MRS. F. MODE
Grade 3



MRS. A. GRIFFITH
Grade 3



MISS L. METCALF
Grade 3



MRS. M. BALLEW
Grade 4



MRS. L. CRAIG
Grade 4



MRS. L. McLAIN
Grade 5



MR. J. W. CARPENTER
Grade 6



MRS. F. JAYNES
Special Education



MRS. S. YOUNG
Grade 7



MISS H. PLANT
Grade 7



MISS A. GREENE
Grade 8



MR. J. CONDREY
Grade 8

Teacher Aides



Miss M. Fender



Miss J. Brooks



Mrs. L. Fender



Mrs. J. Finley



Mrs. C. Hollifield



Mrs. L. McNeil



Mrs. P. Toney

NOT PICTURED
Mrs. D. Browning
Mrs. N. Walker
Mrs. L. Wilson
Mrs. C. Powell
Mrs. M. Bivins



Glenn Black



Addie Scott

CUSTODIANS



ELEMENTARY LIBRARIAN
Miss Ruth Elliott

Principal's Message

Congratulations upon the completion of another milestone in life. The moments you have spent here will become memories. But the friendships and influence can forever be embedded in your lives. My best wishes go with you as you enter a new life.

G. L. Byrd



G. L. BYRD - Principal



Now what could Mr. Byrd be talking about to Larry Miller and Steve Roberts!



Mr. Byrd with our school secretary, Mrs. Lloyd Cuthbertson.



A faithful fan of the "Nebo Bears."



CLASSES

Senior Class Officers



Vicki Justice, President; Charles Dicks, Treasurer; Patty Toney, Secretary; Margret Davis, Vice President; Brenda Willis, Reporter.

Sponsors



Mrs. Kelley and Mr. Laney

At last -- the year for which we have waited and worked! After many heart-aches, many headaches, and even more happy memories, we have reached the exalted status of Seniors.

As we all go our separate ways, we each will share a tear of sadness. Yet the memories we have gathered here at Nebo High will linger in our hearts forever. And now as we come to the end, but in reality, the true beginning of our lives, the memories of our past years will be instilled in our minds forever.

Future's Gateway

"We pause in the doorway,
 figures of indecision.
 The light of the future
 beckons our passage.
 The memories are ours to retain.
 To advance from the doorstep
 will mean not separation
 but a uniting of the two,
 And both will step out to the daylight
 of future striving.
 One step forward does end this shadow,
 but perhaps tomorrow will produce
 another room,
 another shadow,
 another beginning,
 another end."

ANN HARNED



ALBERT AMMON ALDRIDGE
 "Alb"

"George Washington is dead; Caesar
 is dead; all good men are dying; and I
 don't feel very well myself."

BILLY RAY ANDERSON
 "Bill"

"Life is very short, and very uncer-
 tain; let us spend it as well as we can."

GLEASON LEE BAKER
 "Pecker"

"It's not what you do; it's what
 you're caught doing."

RAY ERVIN BARLOWE
 "Reb"

"There is a time and a place for
 everything."





ROBERT CHARLES BOONE
"Booney"

"The glory of young men is their strength; and the glory of old men is their gray hair."

DORIS MARIE BRADLEY
"Red"

"No woman ever became extremely wicked all at once."

REVA JEWEL BUCHANAN
"Reva"

"Whatsoever things are true honest, just, pure, lovely, and of good heart; if there be any virtue or praise, think on these things."

SONDRA SUE CASTLE
"Sandy"

"Angels can't fly; I've tried it!"



REBECCA JANE CHAPMAN
"Janie"

"If you know where you are going, the world will step aside and let you by."

CHARLES LANE COX
"Charles"

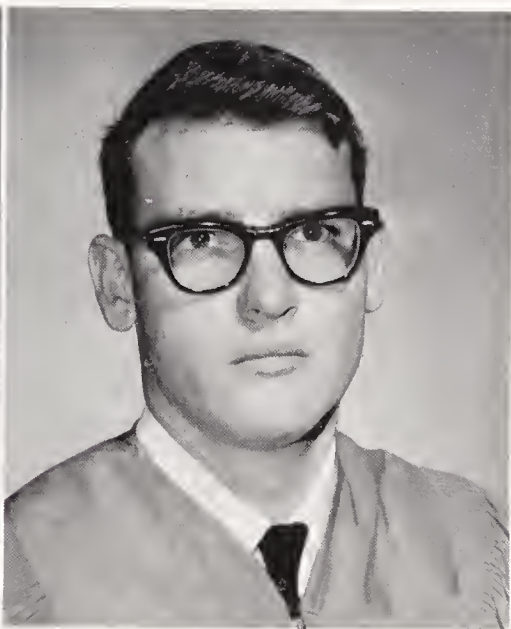
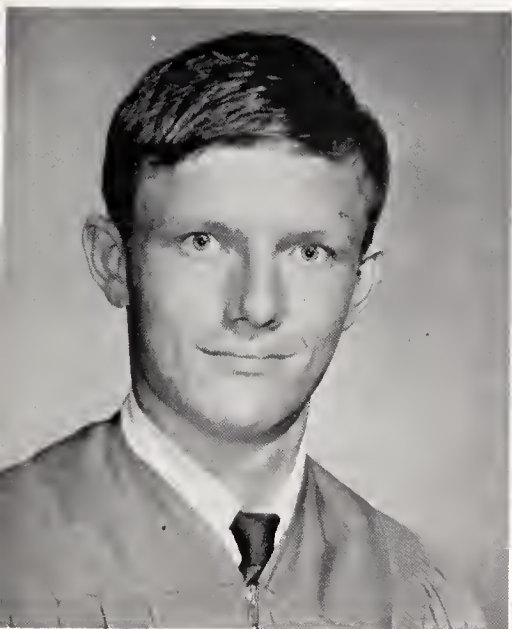
"Why hurry, you'll be late anyway."

JULIUS KINCAID CRAWLEY
"J.K."

"Self-trust is the essence of hero-
ism."

MARGRET ANN DAVIS
"Marg"

"What starts out to be a little white
lie, often becomes a double feature in
technicolor."



CHARLES WAYNE DICKS
"Charlie"

"Every man is the builder of a
temple, called his body."

WILLIAM DAVID ECKARD
"Dave"

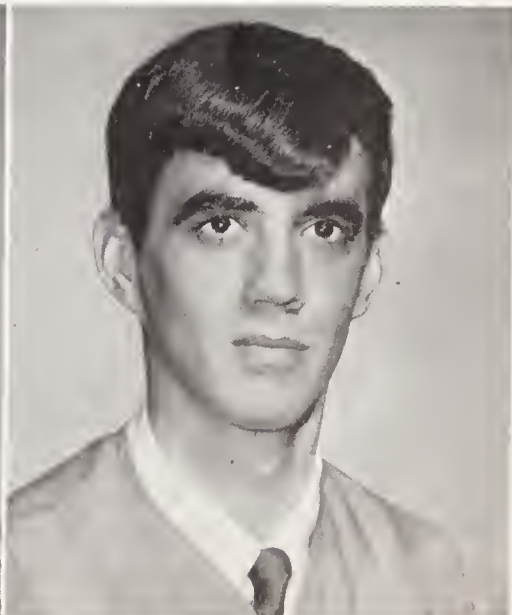
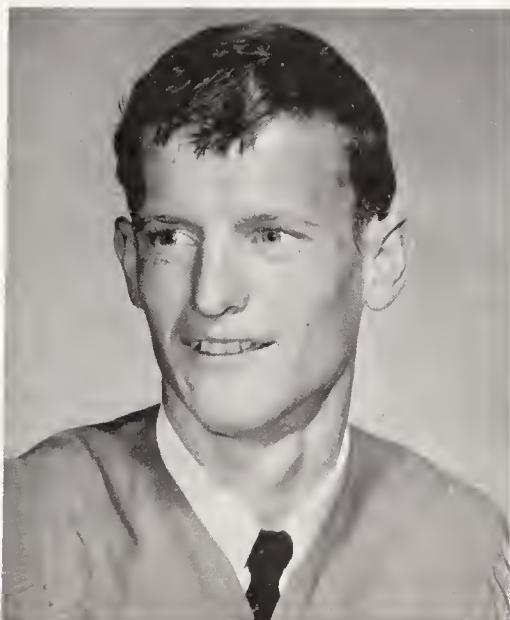
"Sometimes life is not what it's
cracked up to be."

RICHARD LEE ELLINGTON
"Richie"

"Cooperation is a good thing; if
freckles could get together, they'd
make a nice tan."

WILLIAM LEE FINCHER
"Butch"

"This peck of trouble."





JOAN ANN FRISBEE
"Squeeky"

"Think all you speak, not all you think."

CONSTANCE LEE GRADY
"John, Jay"

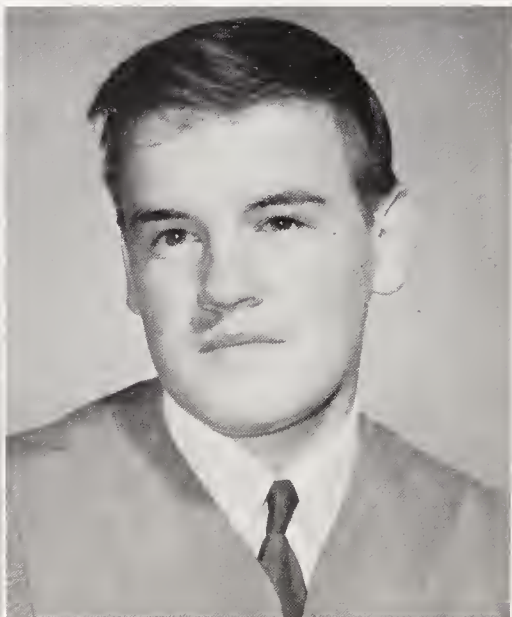
"Brown eyes have been the downfall of more than one man."

KATHY IRENE GRANT
"Cat"

"Absence makes the heart grow fonder."

PATRICIA MANTEO HEAFNER
"Pat"

"Be not forgetful to entertain strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unaware."



HAROLD DEAN HESTER
"Dean 'O"

"When times get hard, just sing a song."

MORRIS RAY HOPPES
"Ray"

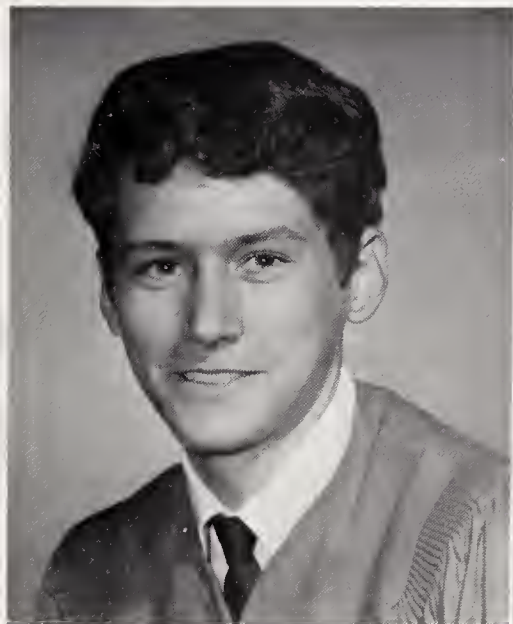
"Quiet waters run quite deep."

VICKI EVANGELINE JUSTICE
"Smily"

"And in the sweetness of friendship, let there be laughter and sharing of pleasure."

JOHN WAYNE LANCASTER
"Johnny"

"No one knows what he can do till he tries."



ARCHIE DEE MCGEE
"Archie"

"God made all pleasures innocent."

DOUGLAS MCGEE
"Doug"

"Never promise more than you can perform."

REBECCA LEE MCKINNEY
"Becky"

"I am what I am; that's all I ever can be."

LINDA KAY MILLER
"Kay"

"I have drunken deep of joy, and I will taste no other wine tonight."





JOHN FRANKLIN MINISH
"Johnny"

"There is always someone worse off than yourself."

VIVIAN LEE NORWOOD
"Viv"

"A good heart is worth more than gold."

ANGELA FRANCINE PENDLEY
"Angie"

"Smile and the world smiles with you."

LINDA GAIL REVIS
"Linda"

"I don't pity anyone who knows more than me, but I pity those who know less."



TERRIE JO REVIS
"Terrie"

"Silence I know not of; but speak of merriment and I am a genius."

GEORGE BENJAMIN SCOTT, JR.
"George"

"I can resist everything but temptation; temptation I can't resist."

DORIS ELAINE SMITH
"Chuck"

"From a little spark may burst a
mighty flame."

PEARL ANITA STACY
"Nita"

"Do not pass a temptation lightly
by; it may never come again."



PATRICIA DIANE TONEY
"Pat"

"Everyone is as God made him, and
often a great deal worse."

BRENDA LOUISE WILLIS
"Randy"

"It's nice to be important, but it's
more important to be nice."



JIMMIE KATHRYN WILLIS
"Bummy"

"Have a good time while you are
alive; death is a permanent thing."

REX ALAN WOOD
"Rex"

"Women may come and women
may go, but not if I can help it."



Senior Directory

ALBERT AMMON ALDRIDGE

Baseball 1; Vica 2; Key Club 3, 4; Sec. 4.

BILLY RAY ANDERSON

Vica 3, 4; Bus Patrol 1; Student Council 4; Most Courteous; Quietest.

GLEASON LEE BAKER

Vica 2, 3, 4; Treas.; Most Popular; Class Treas. 2.

RAY ERVIN BARLOWE

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 3, 4; All-Conference 3; Most Valuable Player 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 3; Key Club 3, 4; Pres. 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Treas. 3; Pres. 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Library Club 3; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; V. Pres. 3; Treas. 4; Class Pres. 2; Bus Driver 3, 4; Class Pres. 3; Sec., Treas. 1; Most Athletic; Most Intelligent.

ROBERT CHARLES BOONE

Vica 3, 4.

DORIS MARIE BRADLEY

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Recreational Leader; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; Newspaper Staff; Most Unpredictable.

REVA JEWEL BUCHANAN

F. H. A. 2, 4; Annual Staff 4; Library Club 2; Quietest.

SONDRA SUE CASTLE

Class Treas. 3; Glee Club 3, 4; Annual Staff; Librarian 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sec. 4; Recreational Leader 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; All-Conference 3; Newspaper Staff 4; Most Talented.

REBECCA JANE CHAPMAN

F. H. A. 1, 2; Class Officer 1; Library Club 3; Bus Patrol 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Most Valuable to School.

CHARLES LANE COX

Bus Patrol 1, 2; Bus Driver 3; Student Council 4; Class Officer 4.

JULIUS KINCAID CRAWLEY

Vica 3, 4.

MARGRET ANN DAVIS

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 3, 4; All-Conference 2, 3; Most Valuable Player 2, 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Class V. Pres. 4; F. H. A. 1, 2; Student Council 4; Library Club 4; Bus Patrol 3, 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Athletic Award 2; Most Athletic.

CHARLES WAYNE DICKS

Bus Driver 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Key Club 4; Most Dependable; Class Treas. 4.

WILLIAM DAVID ECKARD

Photography Club 2; Science Club 3.

RICHARD LEE ELLINGTON

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Manager 1; Baseball 1, 3, 4; Mr. Senior; Vica Club 2, 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Friendliest.

WILLIAM LEE FINCHER

Student Council 1; Vica 2, 4; Most Unpredictable.

JOAN ANN FRISBEE

Commercial Club 3; F. H. A. 4.

CONSTANCE LEE GRADY

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3.

KATHY IRENE GRANT

F. H. A. 1; Glee Club 2; Photography Club 1.

PATRICIA MANTEO HEAFNER

East Rutherford: F. H. A. 1, 2; Sec. 2; Dramatics Club 1; Track 2; Basketball 1, 2; Sportsmanship Trophy 2; Softball 2; Sponsor of Homecoming Court 2. Nebo: Monogram Club 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; All-Conference 3; Paper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Editor; Most Intelligent; Jr. Marshall; Basketball 3, 4.

HAROLD DEAN HESTER

Photography Club 1; Baseball 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Manager 3, 4; V. Pres. Key Club, VICA 4; Monogram Club 4.

MORRIS RAY HOPPES

Glee Club 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Most Valuable to School; Most Likely to Succeed.

Senior Directory

VICKI EVANGELINE JUSTICE

Miss Freshman; V. Pres. 1; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Sec. 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 4; V. Pres. 4; Pres. Photography Club 2; Library Club 3, 4; Treas. 3; Reporter 4; Paper Staff 4; Editor 4; Pres. Class 4; School News Staff 4; Bus Patrol 3; Friendliest.

JOHN WAYNE LANCASTER

Vica 2, 3; Monogram 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Best All Around.

ARCHIE DEE McGEE

Vica 4.

DOUGLAS McGEE

Mr. Junior; Best Looking; Vica 2, 3, 4.

REBECCA LEE MCKINNEY

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Historian; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 4; Basketball 1.

LINDA KAY MILLER

Class Pres. 1; Sec. 3; Student Council 1, 3, 4; Sec. 3; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 2; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Sec. 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Best All Around.

JOHN FRANKLIN MINISH

Vica 3, 4.

VIVIAN LEE NORWOOD

Northern Potter; F. H. A. 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Operetta 1; Nebo: F. H. A. 4; Monogram 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Scorekeeper 4; Jr. Marshall.

ANGELA FRANCINE PENDLEY

Glee Club 3, 4.

LINDA GAIL REVIS

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3.

TERRIE JO REVIS

F. H. A. 1; Commercial Club 3; Glee Club 2, 3; Paper Staff 4.

GEORGE BENJAMIN SCOTT, JR.

Vica 3, 4; Key Club 3; Baseball 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3.

DORIS ELAINE SMITH

F. H. A. 1; Glee Club 2; Commercial Club 3; Paper Staff 4.

PEARL ANITA STACY

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3, 4; Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Bus Patrol 4; Paper Staff 4; Most Courteous.

PATRICIA DIANE TONEY

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Reporter 1; V. Pres. 4; Glee Club 2, 4; Class Officer, Sec. 4; Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; Miss Senior; Miss D. A. R.; Most Likely to Succeed.

BRENDA LOUISE WILLIS

Miss Nebo 2; Miss Sophomore; Vica Club Sweetheart 3; Sec. 2; Class Reporter 4; Library Club 3, 4; V. Pres. 3; Sec. 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Photography Club 2; Paper Staff; Editor 4; Bus Patrol 4; School News Staff; Most Dependable; Best Looking.

JIMMIE KATHRYN WILLIS

Student Council 1, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1; Reporter 2, 3; Library Club 1, 2; Sec. 1, 2, 3; Reporter 3; Glee Club; Sec. 2; Treas. 3, 4; Pres. 4; Monogram 2, 3; V. Pres. 4; Paper Staff 4; Class Reporter 3; Miss Junior; Most Popular; Vica Club Sweetheart 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; School News Staff 4.

REX ALAN WOOD

Bus Driver 4; Vica 4; Reporter 4; Glee Club 4; Monogram Club 4; Most Talented.





FRIENDLIEST

Vicki Justice and Richard Ellington

MOST UNPREDICTABLE

Doris Bradley and William Fincher



Superlatives



MOST INTELLIGENT

Pat Heafner and Ray Barlowe

BEST ALL ROUND

Kay Miller and John Lancaster



QUIETEST

Reva Buchanan and Bill Anderson



MOST VALUABLE TO SCHOOL

Jane Chapman and Ray Hoppes

Superlatives

BEST LOOKING

Brenda Willis and Doug McGee



MOST POPULAR

Kathy Willis and Gleason Baker



MOST ATHLETIC

Margret Davis and Ray Barlowe



MOST COURTEOUS

Bill Anderson and Anita Stacy



MOST DEPENDABLE

Brenda Willis and Charles Dicks

Superlatives

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Ray Hoppes and Pat Toney

MOST TALENTED

Sandy Castle and Rex Wood



Junior Class Officers



President:

Tony Taylor

Vice President:

Fred Stevens

Secretary:

Sherry Sisk

Treasurer:

Dennis Shepherd

Reporters:

Edna Blevins

Nickie Wood

Sherry Sisk, Fred Stevens, Tony Taylor, Edna Blevins, Nickie Wood, Dennis Shepherd.

Sponsors

Another year and another Junior class! Upper-classmen at last! Sometimes called jolly or jovial or energetic and vivacious, they are back eagerly awaiting the coming year. Experimenting with new concepts and working toward the Junior-Senior, these Juniors patiently await an exciting goal ---- The role of being a Senior.



Mrs. Hartley and Mr. Gross

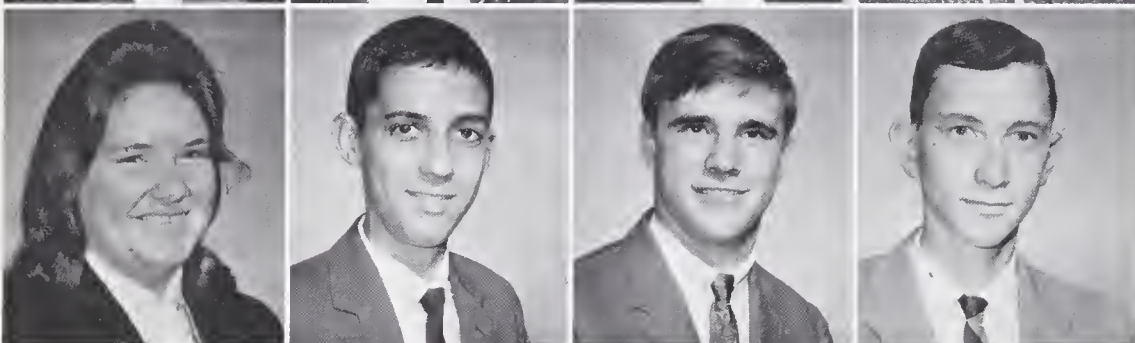
Class of 1969



Nita Atkins
Edna Blevins
Marty Branton
Joanne Brittain



Helen Buff
Gary Capps
Wilma Cody
Harold Creech

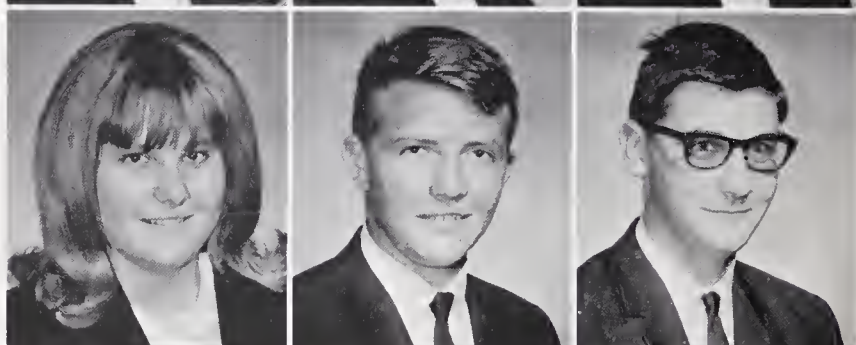


Charlene Edwards
Doyle Edwards
Paul Fincher
Wayne Foster

Loretta Gardin
Jeanne Gardner
Polly Hall



Juanita Hamrick
Stanley Haynes
Steve Hendrix



Ann Hensley
Marie Holland
Rebecca Hunsinger

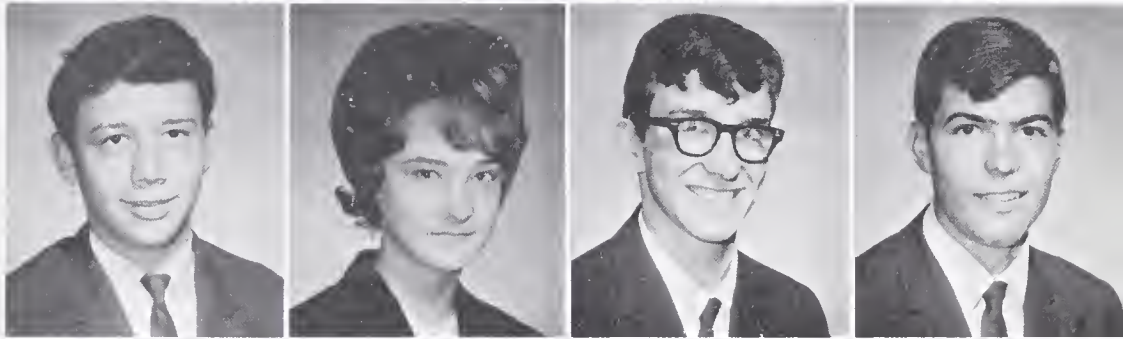


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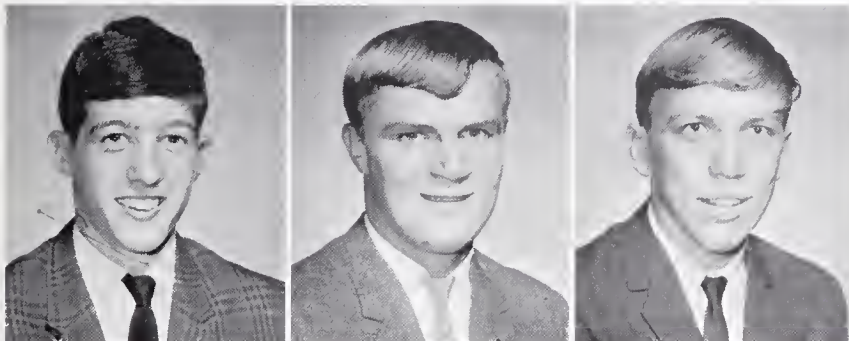
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Kaye Justice
Kenneth Laws



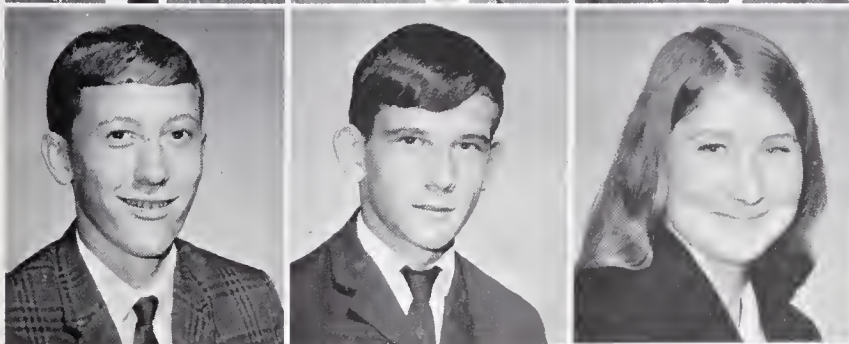
Gary Loudermilk
Susan Loudermilk
Gary Mace
Bruce Mason



Iris McCormick
Larry Miller
Elizabeth Minish
Lois Newton



Dean Owenby
William Patton
Jack Patton



Steve Pendergrass
Victor Pendley
Joyce Powell



Dean Pyatt
Jean Pyatt
Allen Queen

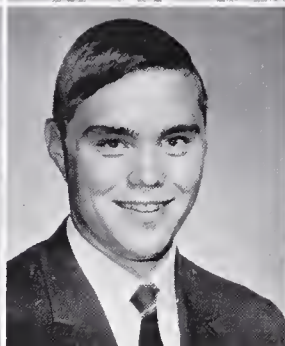
Class of 1969



David Revis
Edna Rhymer
Steve Roberts
Cecil Robinson

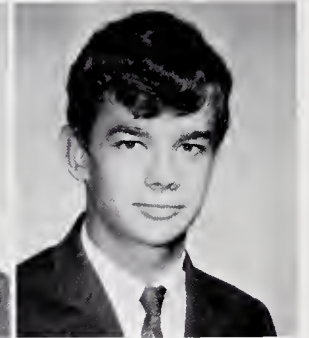
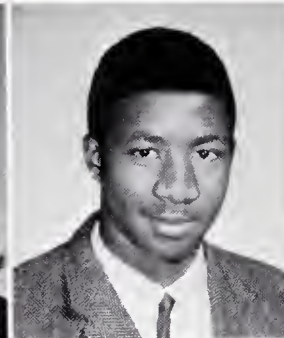


Judy Rowe
Dennis Shepherd
Gary Sisk
Sherry Sisk

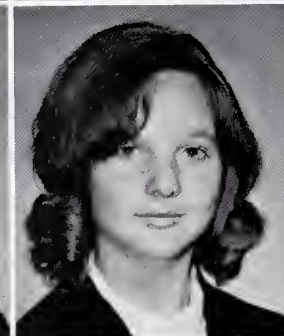


Revonda Spratt
Fred Stevens
Barry Stoncipher
Linda Styles

Nancy Suttles
Nathaniel Tate
Tony Taylor



Emily Turner
Betty Ward
Sue Webb



Janice Welch
Lloyd Welch
Nickie Wood
Bobby Buckner



Sophomore Class Officers



J. D. Dulaney, Libby McKinney, Ricky Jackson, Jean Gardin, Ricky Condrey, Betty Davis.

President:

Jean Gardin

Vice President:

Ricky Condrey

Secretary:

Betty Davis

Treasurer:

Libby McKinney

Reporters:

J. D. Dulaney

Ricky Jackson

Sponsors

Certainly not wise . . . but yet, not really foolish. Yes, they finally made it. They survived their Freshman year, only to be confronted with many of the same problems of being a Sophomore.

As Sophomores, they begin to feel a real part of Nebo. No longer do they shy away from upper-classmen or club activities.

When they were Freshmen, they could hardly await the time they would be Sophomores. Now as the year ends, they anticipate the time when they will carry the title of Juniors.



Mrs. Kiestler and Mr. Davis

Class of 1970

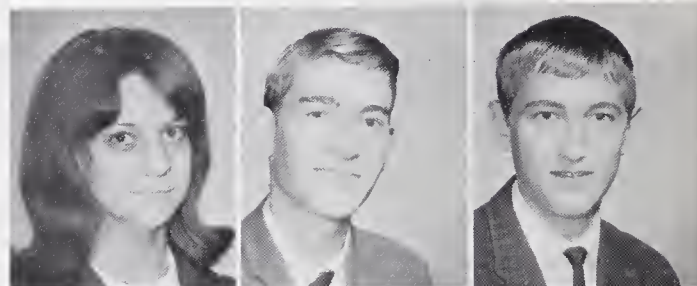


Linda Aldridge
Judith Bailey
Eddie Barrier
Ginger Branton
Sandy Bumgarner

Debbie Burleson
Debbie Castle
Roger Chapman
Alice Carter
Danny Carroll

Lloyd Cline
Ricky Condrey
Betty Davis
Mike Dicks
J. D. Dulaney

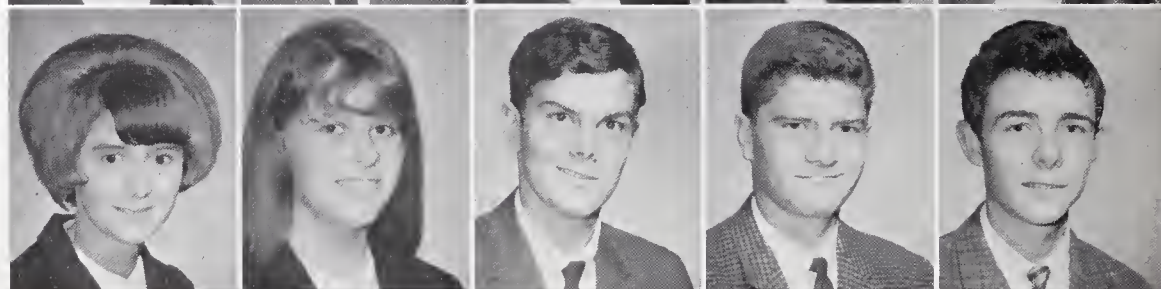
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Ted Eddings



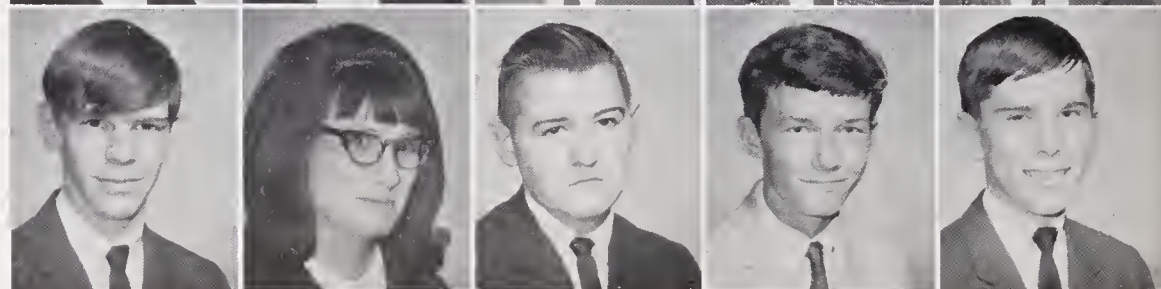
Delores Fender
Terrell Finley
Diane Gaddy
Jean Gardin
Judy Gardin



Jane Gibbs
Amy Gross
Lee Hemphill
Tony Higgins
John Holland



Donnie Hollifield
Inez Hollifield
Wayne Hoppes
Ricky Jackson
Roger James



Class of 1970

Donnie Lane
Ronnie Ledford
Sharon Lowery
Jimmy Mace
Tony McCall



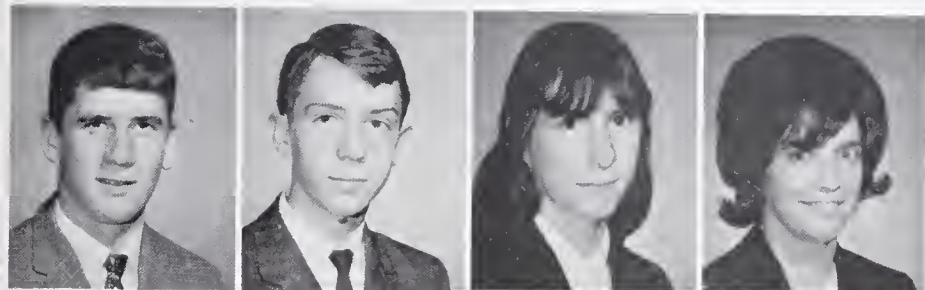
Loretta McGee
Libby McKinney
Chuck McNeil
Elaine McPeters
Wayne Miller



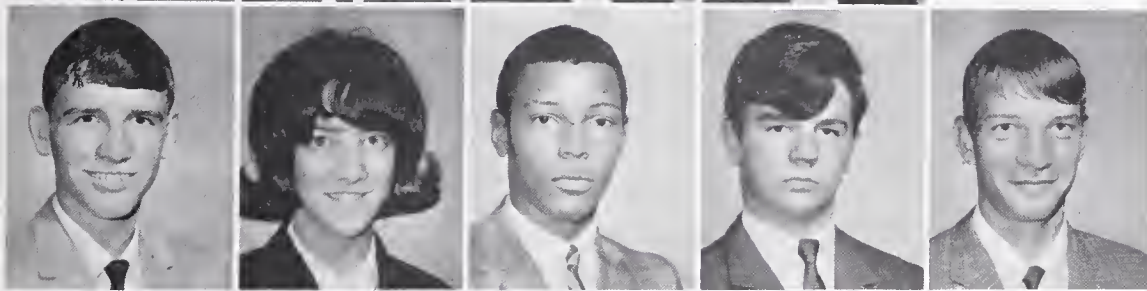
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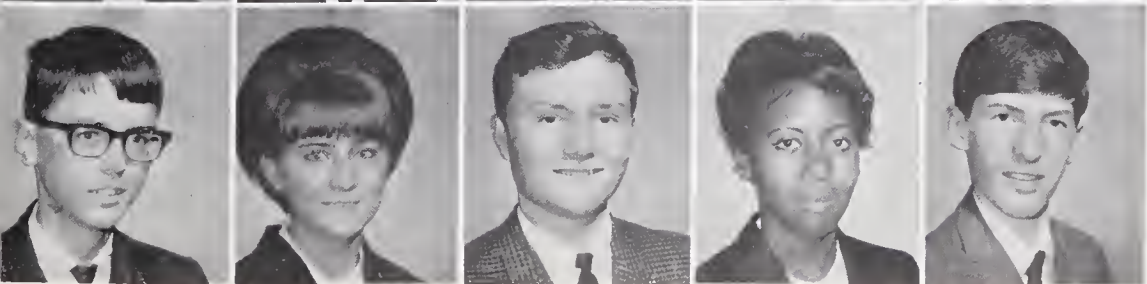
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Mike Wood



Freshman Class Officers



Dale Hardin, Vice President; David Hicks, Secretary; Ricky Shepard, Treasurer; Patti Sisk, President; Warren Mills, Reporter.

Sponsors

All new and all different!
This is what the Freshman face
their first year in High School.
A group of shy, yet eager stu-
dents, each has a keen desire to
be a part of Nebo High School.
Little do they realize that this is
the beginning of the special hours
which later fade to memories.



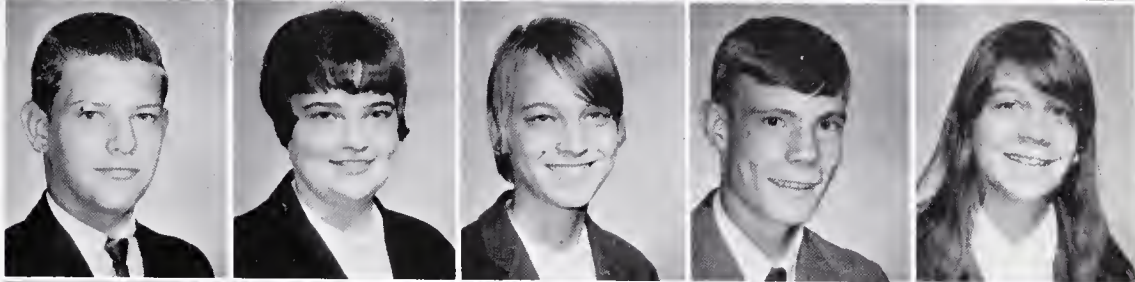
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Charles Buchanan
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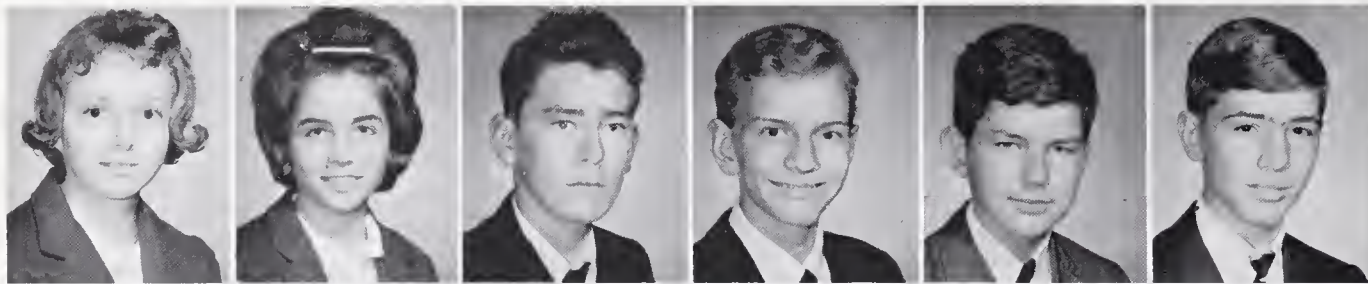
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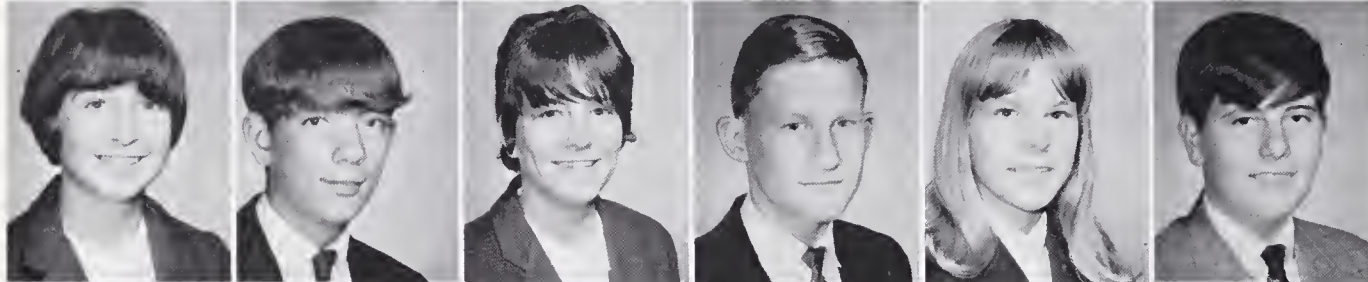
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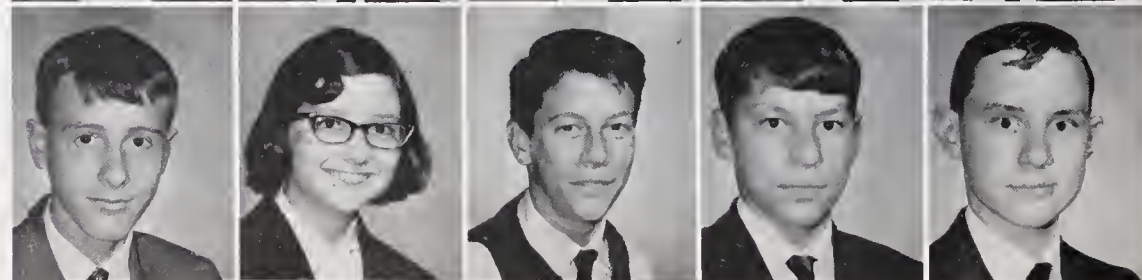
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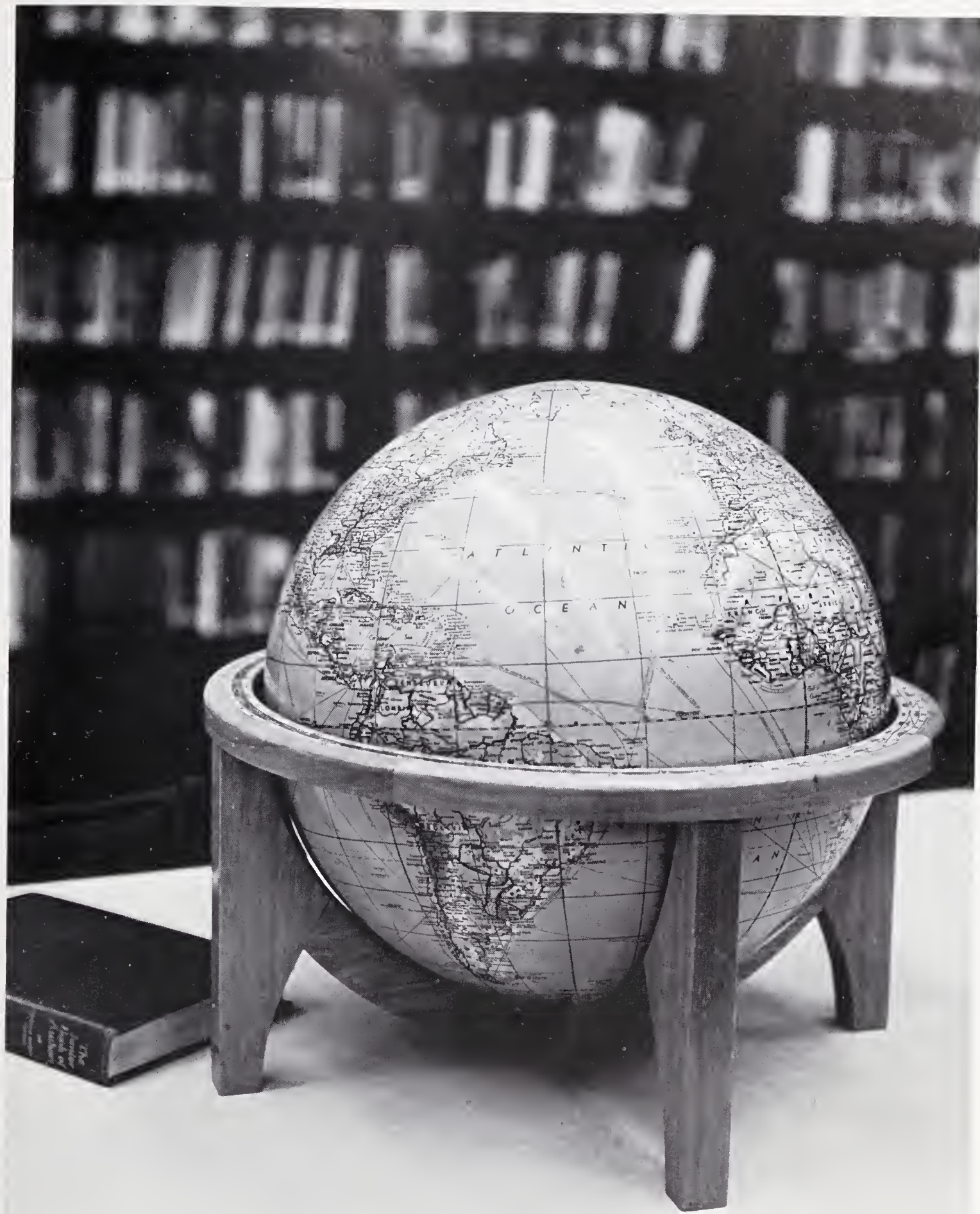


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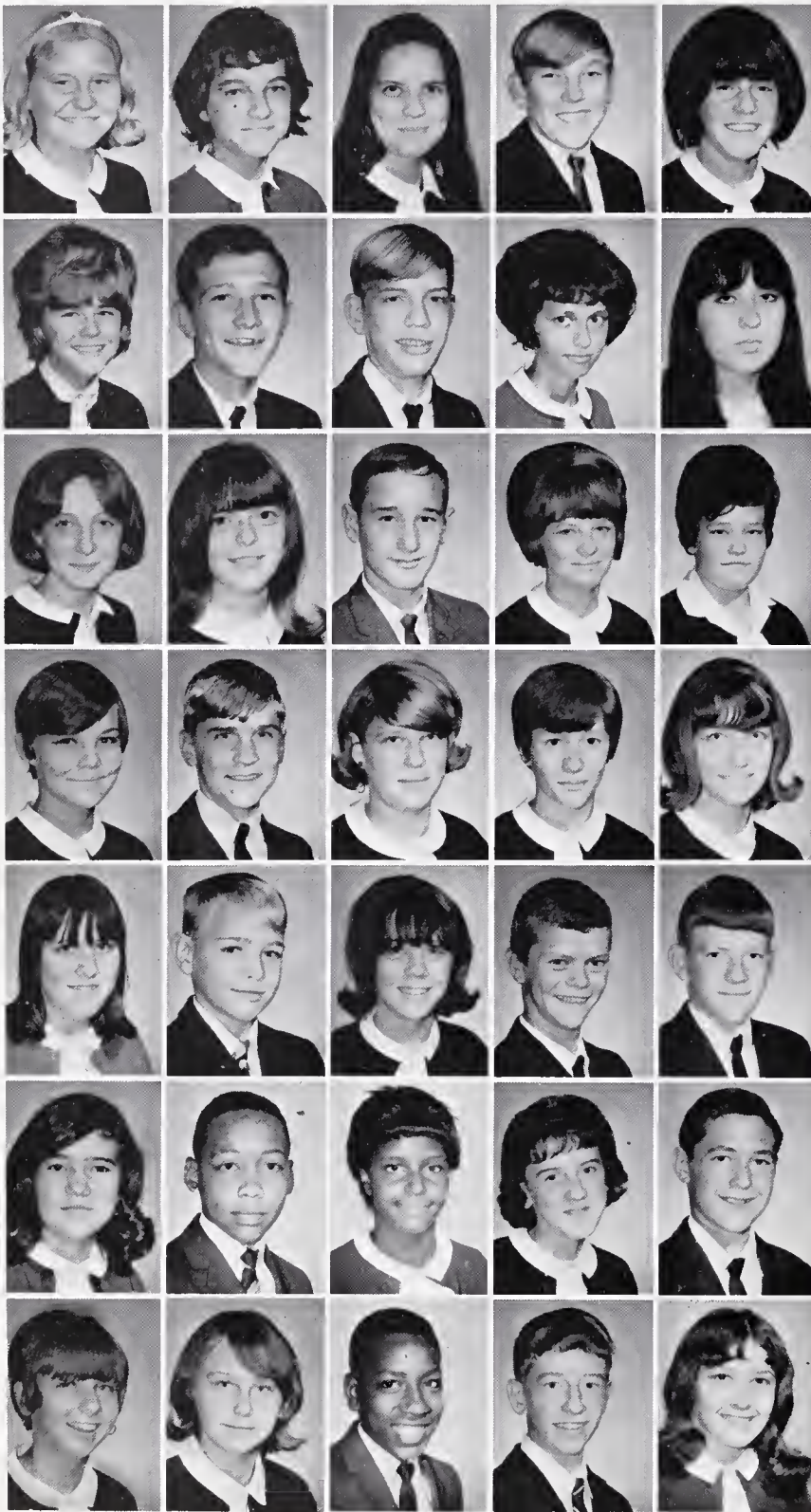
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JUNIOR HIGH

Mr. James Condrey, 8th Grade



Denise Beam
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Jerry Carswell
Sherry Dobson

Susan Dobson
Steve Duncan
James Edwards
Gail Frady
Rena Hoppes

Camillia Huskins
Joyce Jaynes
Don Loudermilk
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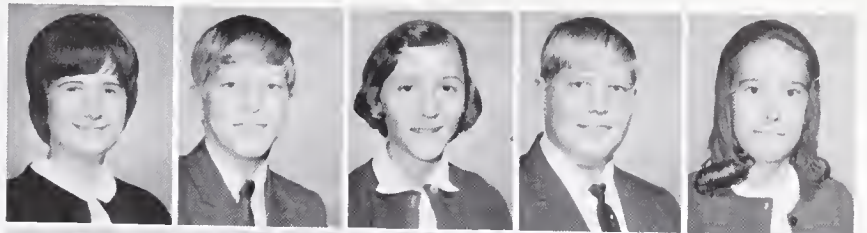
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Teresa Lowery
Johnny MacLaren
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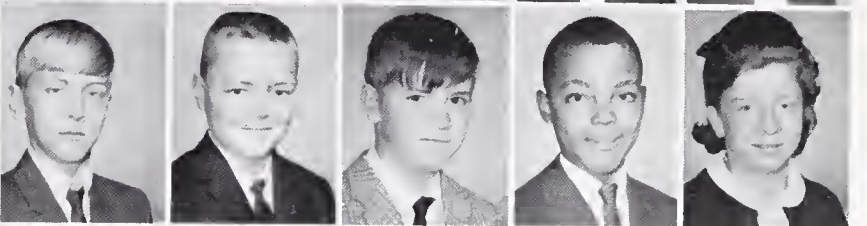
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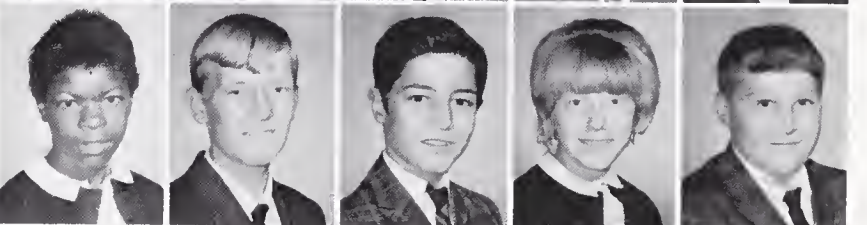


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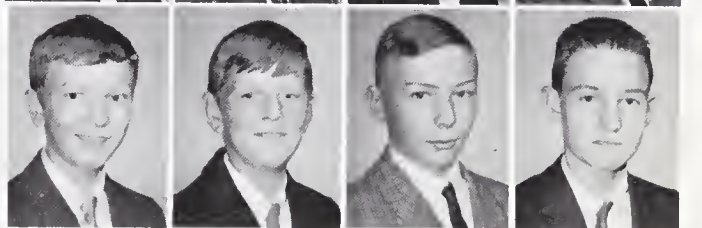


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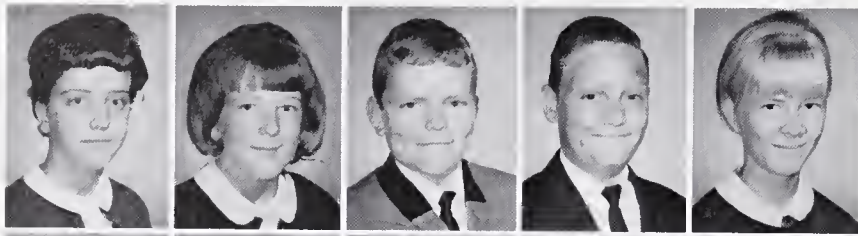
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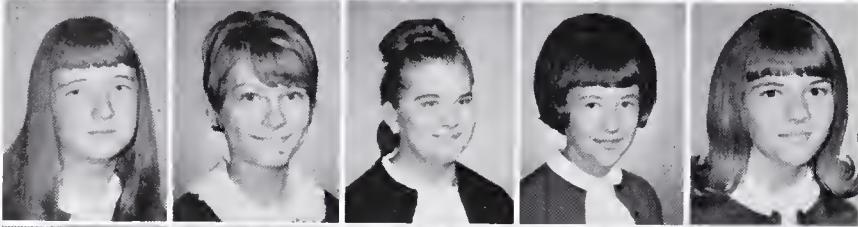
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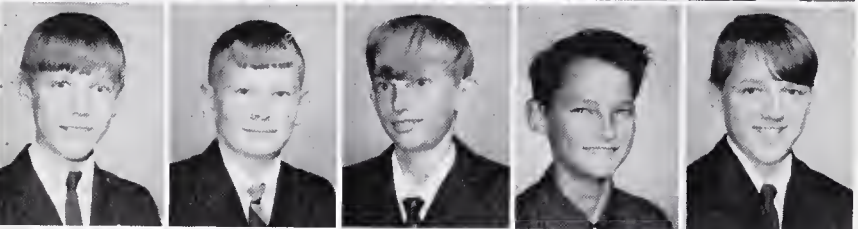


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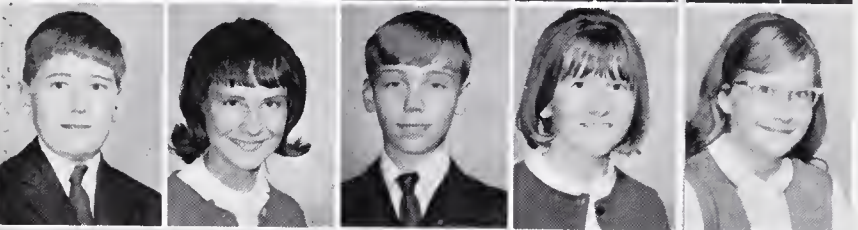


Miss Helen Plant, 7th grade

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Bryan Gardin



Randy Gilbert
Judy Hall
Michael Hall
Faye Hensley
Sharon Issacs



Jerold Jones
Harold Johnson
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FAVORITES



Miss Pioneer

KAY MILLER

Miss Pioneer



1st Runner-Up

SANDY CASTLE



2nd Runner-Up

KATHY WILLIS

Runners-Up



Mr. and Miss Nebo

RICHARD ELLINGTON and PAT HEAFNER

Mr. and Miss Neba



1st Runners-Up

MARTY BRANTON and SANDY CASTLE



2nd Runners-Up

DOUG McGEE and MARGRET DAVIS

Runners-Up

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H.F.C.A. Sweetheart

KATHY WILLIS



Key Club Sweetheart

GINGER BRANTON



Mr. and Miss Senior

RICHARD ELLINGTON and PATTY TONEY



Mr. and Miss Junior

BRUCE MASON and SHERRY SISK



Mr. and Miss Sophomore

MIKE WOOD and BETTY DAVIS



Mr. and Miss Freshman

WARREN MILLS and PATTI SISK



Miss D.A.H.

PAT TONEY



ATHLETICS

CO-CAPTAINS



Margret Davis and Sandy Castle



Sandy Castle
FORWARD



Kathy Willis
ROVER

Lady



Left to Right: Veda Lingerfelt, Lorraine McKinney, Nedra Bradley, Pam Ezell, Ginger Branton, Diane Taylor, Pat Heafner, Kay Miller, Betty Davis, Margret Davis, Patsy Abernathy, Debbie Castle, Sandy Castle, Kathy Willis, Nancy Suttles, Linda Aldridge, Teresa Hensley, Debra Stevens.



Debbie Castle
GUARD



Pat Heafner
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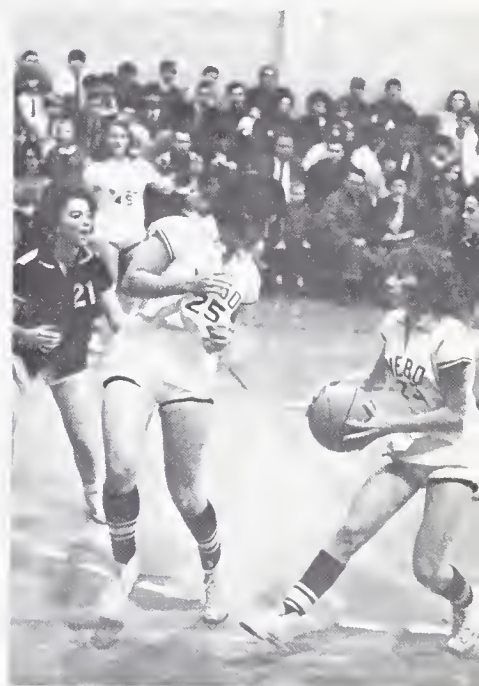


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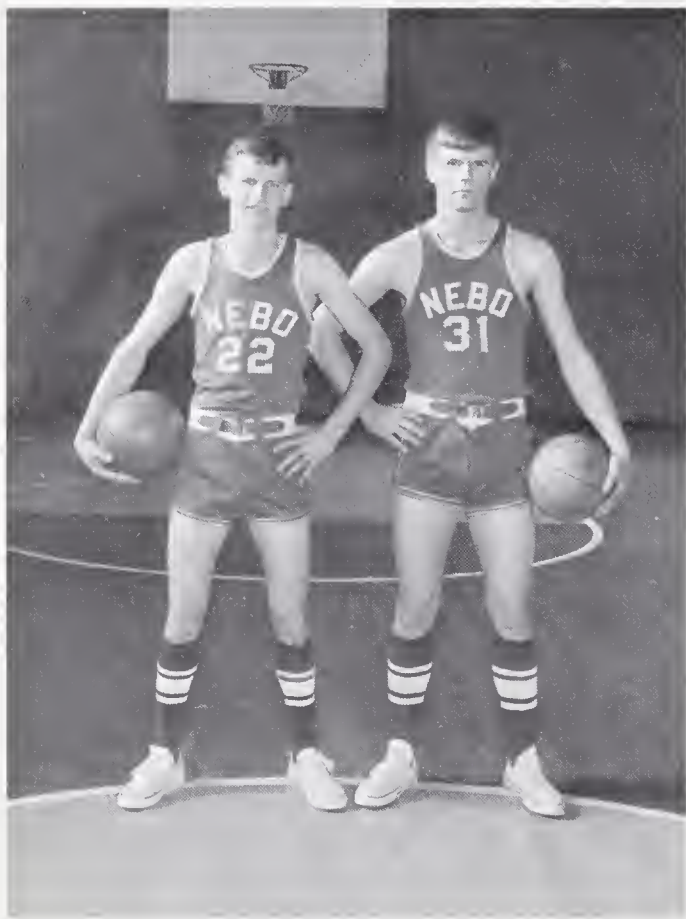


Margret Davis
FORWARD

Bears



CO-CAPTAINS



Richard Ellington and Ray Barlowe



Richard Ellington
GUARD

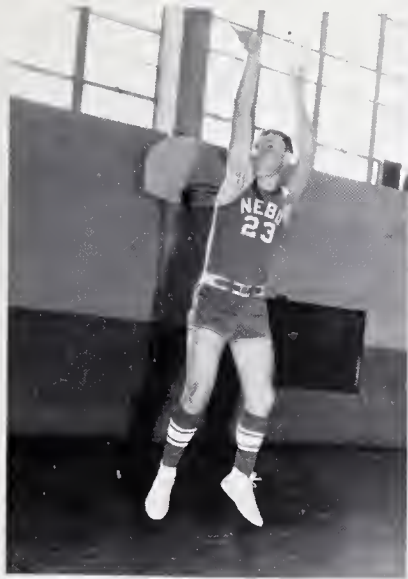


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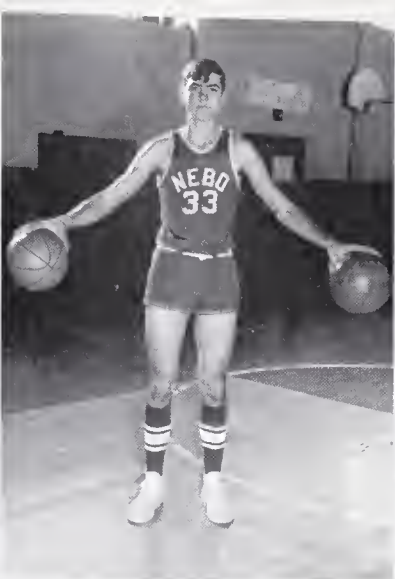
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Left to Right: William Patton, John Lancaster, Wiley Revis, Stanley Haynes, Ray Barlowe, Bruce Mason, Charles McNeil, Dean Owenby, Marty Branton, Richard Ellington, Lee Hemphill.



William Patton
FORWARD - GUARD



Bruce Mason
CENTER



John Lancaster
FORWARD



Ray Barlowe
FORWARD - CENTER

Bears





"All Alone Am I"



"Togetherness"

"I Want to Hold Your Hand"



Snaps



"Please, Don't Just Stand There"



"Up, Up and Away"



"Keep the Ball Rolling"



"Shake A Tail Feather"





COACHES - Mr. Richard Laney and Mr. Donald Collins



Mr. Laney practicing what he teaches.



J.V. SCOREKEEPER: Nelson Norwood; VARSITY MANAGERS: Joyce Powell and Dean Hester.



ANNOUNCER: Dennis Shepard; VARSITY SCOREKEEPER: Vivian Norwood.

Cheerleaders



Kay Justice
CHIEF



Emily Turner



Libby McKinney



Becky "Bear"
McKinney



Doris Bradley



Judy Gardin



Sue Webb

Junior Varsity Basketball Team



L-R: Danny Castle, Bobby Hollifield, Warren Mills, Freddie Powell, Lester Patton, Charles Buchanan, Eddie Barrier, Dennis Thomas, Jimmy Thomas, Dale Hardin, Ricky Condrey, Terrell Finley, Joe Vallini; Jimmy Baucom, Manager.

Baseball 1967



1st ROW: Dean Hester, Manager, Nelson Norwood, Scorekeeper. 2nd ROW: Roger James, Terry Miller, Mike Byrd, Bill Vallini, George Scott, Bobby Scott. 3rd ROW: Lee Hemphill, Ronald Tate, Earle Mace, James Carson, Guy Willis, Ray Barlowe. 4th ROW: Coach Laney, Richard Ellington, William Patton, Marty Branton, Nathanial Tate, Coach Hall.



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L-R: Jane Chapman, Vivian Norwood, Sandy Castle, Reva Buchanan, Patty Toney, Ray Barlowe, Emily Turner, Joyce Powell, Kay Miller, Pat Heafner, Richard Ellington.

Student Council

The Student Council serves as a median between faculty and students to promote good citizenship in the school.

This year the Council, under the guidance of Mr. Jack Kirstein and the leadership of Ray Barlowe has undertaken several projects - cushion sales with the Beta Club, selling popcorn at ball games, and selling tickets at home ball games.



OFFICERS: Vicki Justice, Vice President; Donnie Lane, Treasurer; Mr. Kirstein, Sponsor; Ray Barlowe, President; Pat Heafner, Secretary.



1st ROW: Patti Sisk, Linda Anderson, Ray Hoppes, Ann Hensley, Kay Baker, Pat Heafner, Mr. Kirstein, Sponsor. 2nd ROW: Vicki Justice, Jackie Ray, Delores Fender, Billy Anderson, Sherry Sisk, Kathy Willis, Brenda Willis. 3rd ROW: Tony Taylor, Nickie Wood, Anita Stacy, Ray Barlowe, Margret Davis, Charles Cox, Kay Miller.

Beta Club



"Let us lead by serving others."

OFFICERS: Ray Hoppes, President; Mrs. Kelley, Sponsor; Ray Barlowe, Treasurer; Joyce Powell, Secretary; Pat Heafner, Vice President.



1st ROW: Joyce Powell, Debbie Castle, Jean Gardin, Pat Heafner. 2nd ROW: Diane Gaddy, Ray Hoppes, Betty Davis, Donnie Lane, Linda Aldridge. 3rd ROW: William Patton, Ray Barlowe, Charles Dicks, Gary Mace.

Key Club



"God grant me a path of wisdom
and courage in my attempts to
know my fellowman."



William Patton, Secretary; Ray Barlowe, President;
Mr. Gross, Sponsor; Dean Hester, Vice President;
Albert Aldridge, Treasurer.



1st ROW: Albert Aldridge, Nickie Wood, David Revis, Mr. Gross, Sponsor. 2nd ROW:
Dean Hester, Lloyd Welch, Terrell Finley, Cecil Robinson. 3rd ROW: William Patton,
Dennis Shepard, Ray Barlowe, Charles Dicks, Rex Wood.

Library Club



President:
Anita Stacy

Vice President:
Juanita Hamrick

Secretary:
Brenda Willis

Treasurer:
Helen Buff

Reporters:
Vicki Justice
Kathy Willis

1st ROW: Miss Holland, sponsor, J. Hamrick, H. Buff, K. Willis, A. Stacy, B. Willis, V. Justice. 2nd ROW: J. Welch, E. Rhymer, L. Newton, L. Styles, E. McPeters, D. Castle, N. Suttles, S. Bumgarner. 3rd ROW: P. Hall, L. McGee, D. Owenby, M. Davis, M. Watson, S. Loudermilk.

Monogram Club



President:
Margret Davis

Vice President:
Kathy Willis

Secretary:
Joyce Powell

1st ROW: S. Webb, E. Turner, D. Bradley, L. McKinney. 2nd ROW: L. Aldridge, D. Castle, P. Heafner, B. Davis, K. Willis, G. Branton, J. Powell, V. Norwood. 3rd ROW: N. Norwood, D. Hester, N. Suttles, M. Davis, S. Castle, K. Miller, D. Owenby, M. Wood. 4th ROW: R. Barlowe, R. Ellington, J. Lancaster, B. Mason, D. Shepherd, L. Hemphill, M. Branton, W. Patton.

Glee Club



President: Kathy Willis; Vice President: Loretta Gardin; Secretary: Emily Turner; Historians: Dennis Shepard, Sandy Castle; Reporter: Rebecca Hunsinger.

Future Teachers of America



President:
Sherry Sisk

Vice President:
Sandy Bumgarner

Secretary:
Debbie Castle

Treasurer:
Gary Mace

Reporter:
Linda Aldridge

1st ROW: Mr. Collins, Spon.; Linda Aldridge, Susan Loudermilk, Libby McKinney, Jeannie Gardner, Janice Welch. 2nd ROW: Sandy Bumgarner, Debbie Castle, Betty Davis, Polly Hall, Diane Gaddy. 3rd ROW: Nickie Wood, Nelson Norwood, Gary Mace, Donnie Lane.

Senior Officers



Rep., Joyce Powell; Treas., Amy Gross; Rec. L., Delores Fender; Sec., Sandy Castle; Pres., Kay Miller; V. Pres., Patty Toney; Hist., Becky McKinney; Rec. L., Doris Bradley; Spon., Mrs. McGimsey.

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V. Pres., Nedra Bradley; Treas., Linda Macc; Rec. L., Margie Branch; Spon., Mrs. McGimsey; Pres., Kay Baker; Sec., Pam Ezell; Rep., Veda Lingerfelt; Rec. L., Debra Stevens.

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Vocational Industrial Clubs of America



"Preparing for leadership
in the World of Work."



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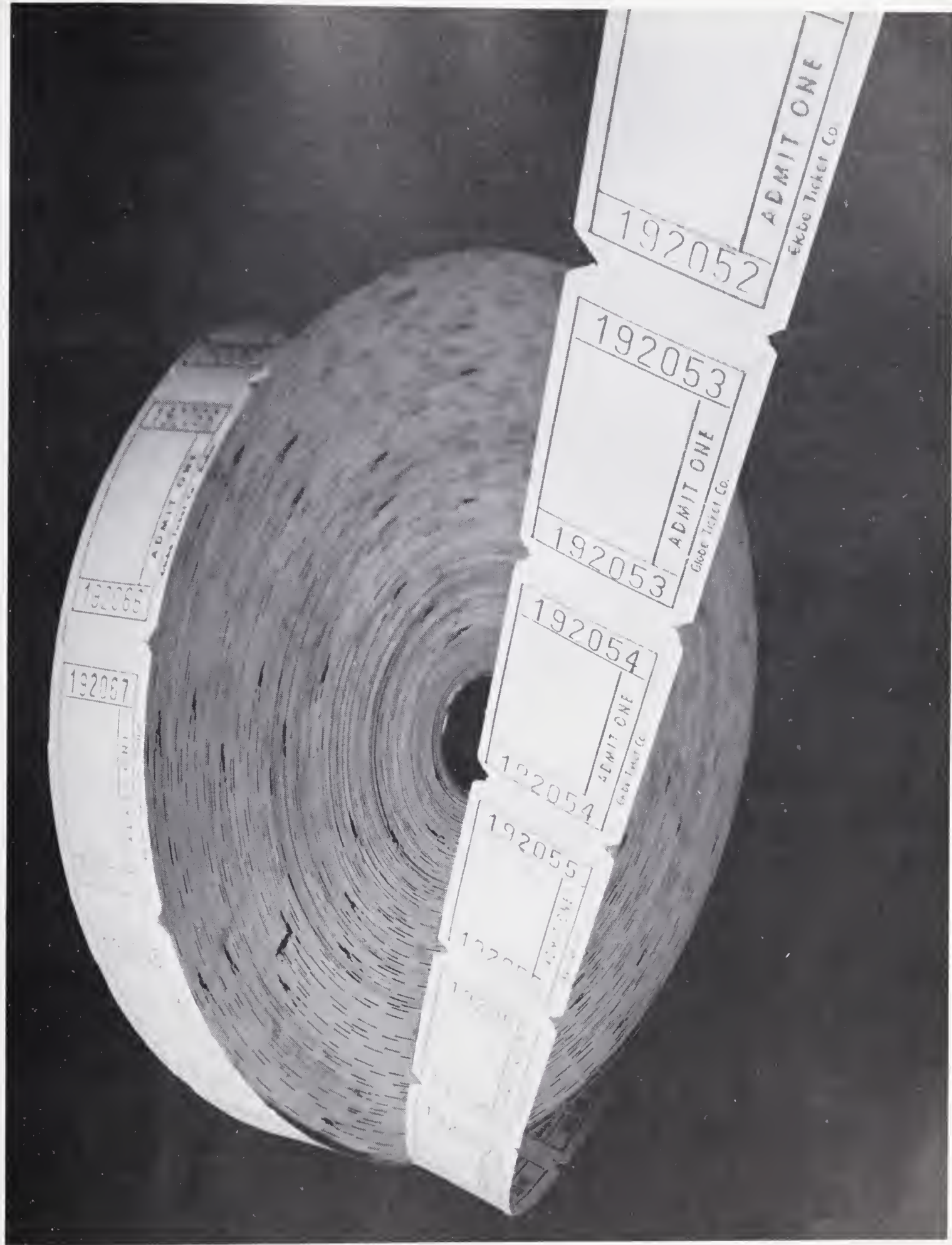
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A black and white photograph showing three women in a room that appears to be a library or an office. The woman on the left is seated and operating a large, vintage mechanical device, possibly a typewriter or an adding machine. She is wearing a dark, long-sleeved dress. The woman in the center is standing and holding a large sheet of paper, looking down at it. She is wearing a light-colored, short-sleeved dress. The woman on the right is also standing, looking towards the paper held by the woman in the center. She is wearing a dark vest over a light-colored blouse. In the background, there are bookshelves filled with books. A small table with a lamp is visible in the foreground on the left.

Sponsor: Mrs. Charlotte Hartley, Co-Editors:
Vicki Justice, Brenda Willis.



L-R: Pat Heafner, Doris Bradley, Kathy Willis, Vivian Norwood, Vicki Justice, Anita Stacy, Sandy Castle, Margret Davis, Becky McKinney, Jane Chapman, Brenda Willis, Pat Toney, Terrie Revis, Linda Revis, Doris Smith.



ACTIVITIES

Senior Hall of Honor



PAT TONEY
Miss D. A. R.
Miss Senior



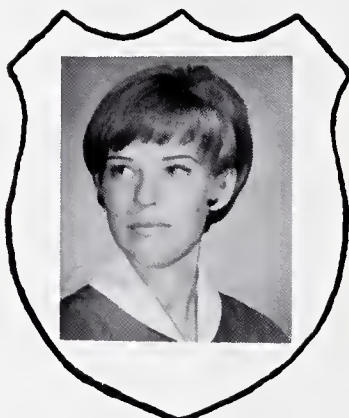
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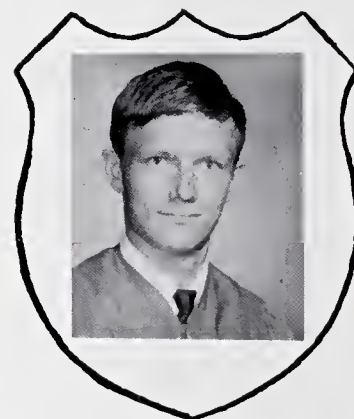
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Mr. Senior



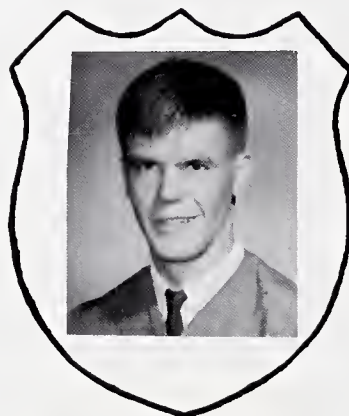
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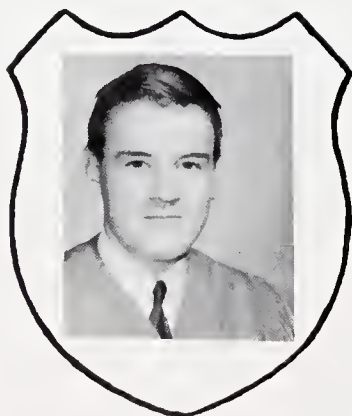
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Beta Club President



VICKI JUSTICE
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Bus Drivers



From left to right: William Patton, Steve Roberts, Charles Dicks, Dean Owenby, Mike Dicks, Ray Barlowe, Steve Hendrix, Paul Fincher, Marty Branton, Rex Wood.



Bus Patrol

From left to right: Danny Carroll, Brenda Willis, Mike Fender, Jackie Ray, Susan Loudermilk, Edna Rhymer, Helen Buff, Jane Chapman, Margret Davis, Anita Stacy.

Through the Halls



School Begins - August 22, 1967



Jane really gets "wrapped up" in her work as she helps Richard and Vivian identify annual pictures.



High cushion salesman, Donnie Lane.



COSMETOLOGY STUDENTS: SEATED: Sue Webb, Kaye Justice, Loretta Gardin, Rebecca Hunsinger, Elizabeth Minish. STANDING: Nita Atkins, Gail James, Judy Rowe, Joanne Brittain, Sherry Sisk, Revonda Spratt.



Tenth grade students display a biological gift.



PEP RALLY IN "BEAR COUNTRY"



"Winter Wonderland" was the theme for the Home Economics Fashion Show.



Never say Nebo doesn't keep up with the latest fashion. We even have "topless" cheerleaders.

Ring the Memories



A favorite at all our parties, Mrs. McGimsey's refreshment table.



Inside and Outside
The house that our Masonry boys built.



Students play volleyball in the gym at lunch.



So this is Chemistry!

of Another Successful Year.



Homeward Bound



SCHOOL NEWS STAFF: Reporters: Kay Miller, Pat Heafner.
Typists: Vicki Justice, Brenda Willis, Kathy Willis.



Study, study, study!

Alma Mater

Hail to thee our alma mater,
Nebo High our school,
Praise we sing thy sons and daughters,
Hearts you'll always rule.

N is for the new friends found here;
E for efforts glow;
B is for the bonds that bind us;
O for onward go.

Chorus:

Raise the chorus, sound the echo,
Loud our praises sing,
Hail to thee our alma mater,
Hail Nebo our Queen.



School Ends - May 29, 1968

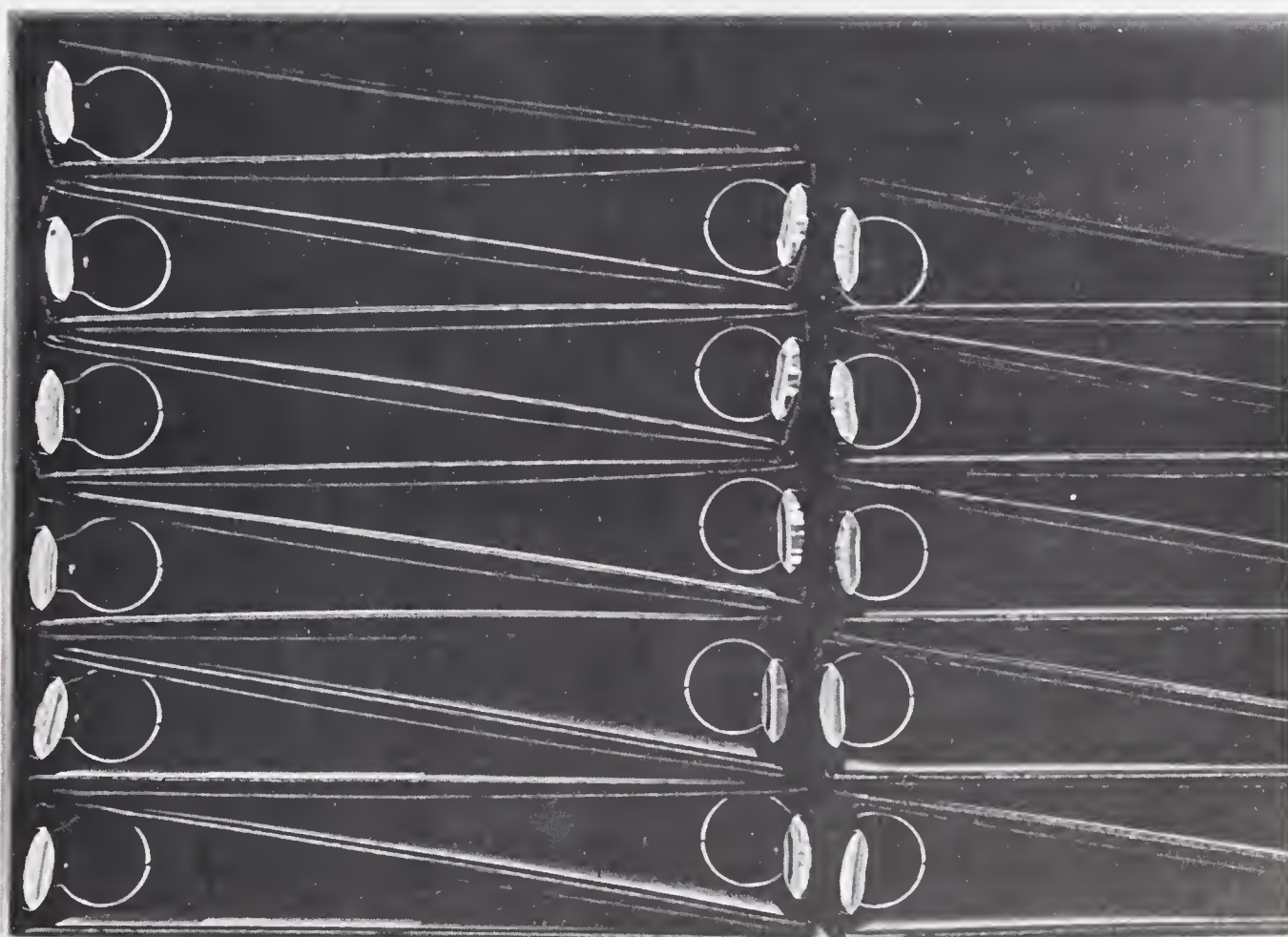
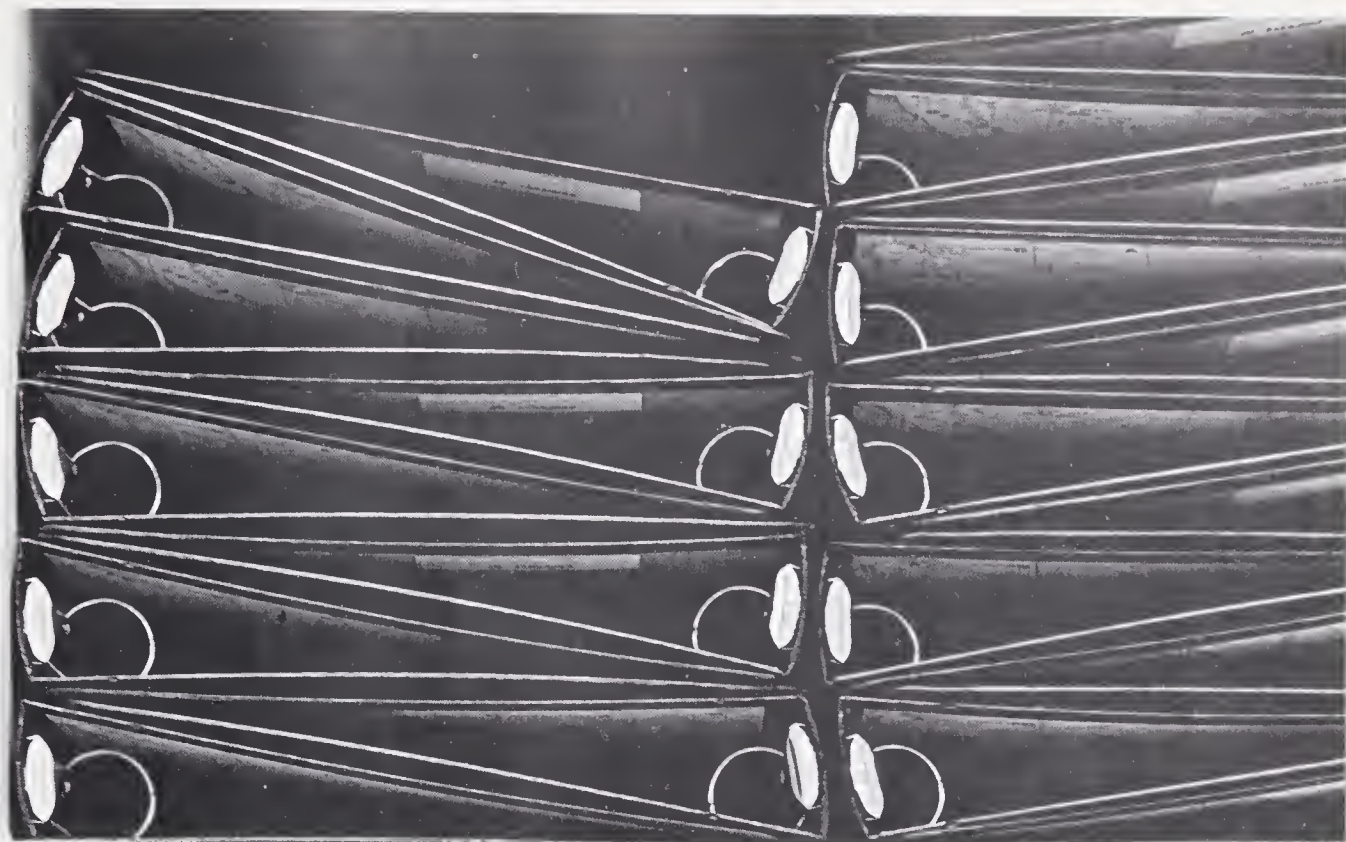


Editor's Note

This page ends the frenzied efforts of the 1968 Pioneer staff. Each worked enthusiastically and diligently to do his part. I would like to thank them for working with me, and also our wonderful sponsor, Mrs. Leatha Kelley, for her guidance, understanding and patience, while bringing you the 1968 Pioneer.

But this page not only ends our efforts for a good annual, but also the melodrama of the 1967-68 school year at Nebo High. As you turned the pages of the Pioneer, maybe you were reminded of some moment shared with others, perhaps joyous, perhaps not. But someday, as you look back and remember the lessons learned here and the friends made, we hope we have included in these pages something that will have helped keep these memories alive for you a little longer than forever.

Pat Heafner
Editor



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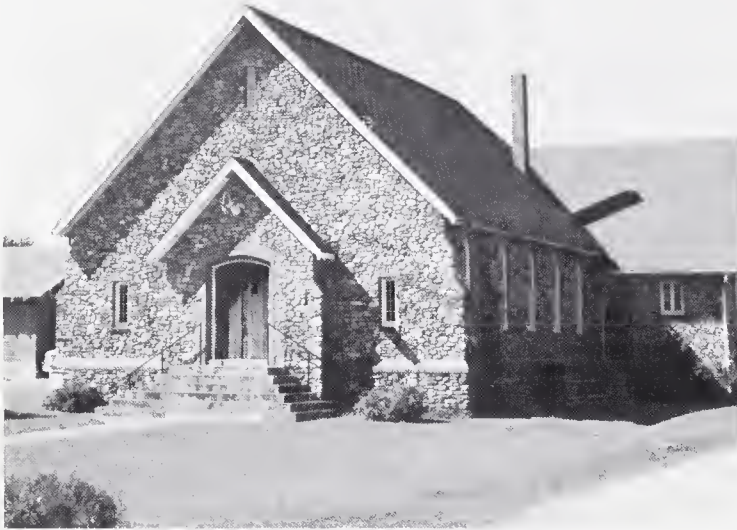
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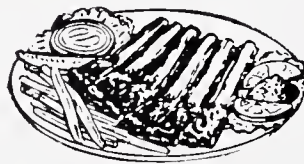
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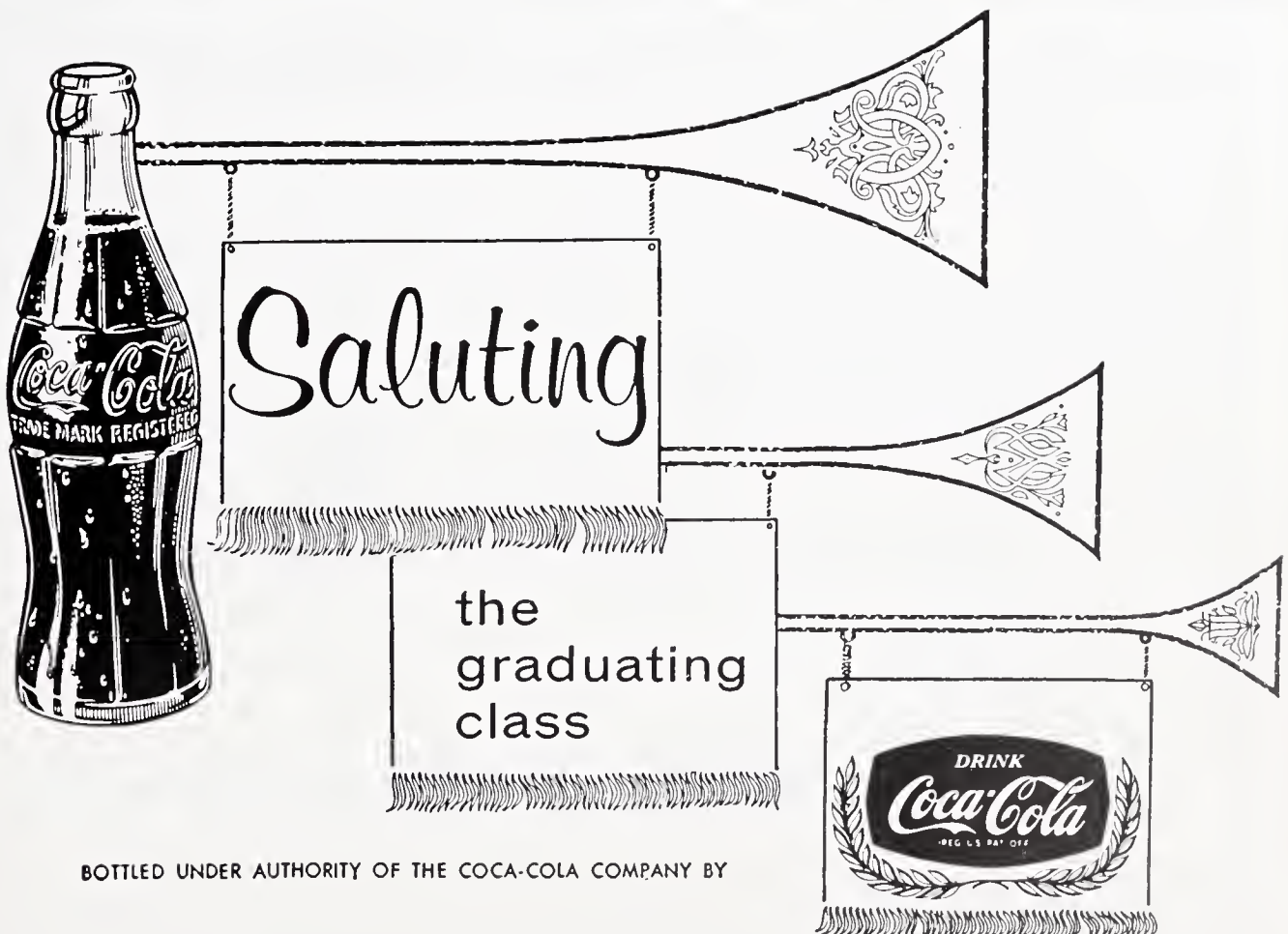
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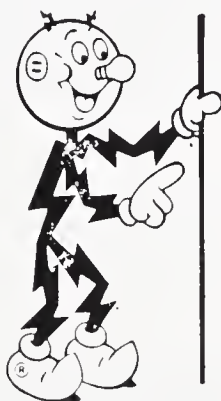
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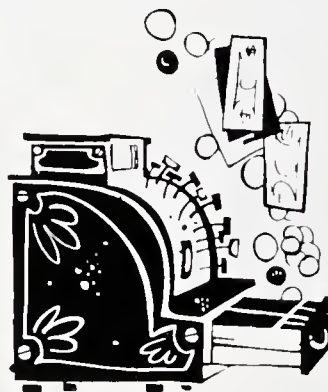
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